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In re application of HOWLAND :  
U.S. Patent Application No. 10/763,555 : **DECISION ON**  
Application Number: 10/763,555 : **PETITION**  
Filed: January 23, 2004 :  
For: METHOD FOR MAKING ADHESIVE :  
FABRIC JOINTS WITH HEAT AND :  
PRESSURE BY COMPARING ACTUAL :  
JOINT PARAMETERS TO :  
PRE-CALCULATED OPTIMAL JOINT :  
PARAMETERS :  
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This is a decision on the petition filed on January 23, 2004 to accept a color photograph under 37 C.F.R. 1.814(b)(2).

### Decision

Applicants are deemed to have fulfilled the requirements under 37 C.F.R. 1.814(b)(2) in that the petition is accompanied by: (1) a fee; (2) three sets of color drawings; and (3) an amendment to the specification to include the following language as the first paragraph of the brief description of the drawings section of the specification:

The patent or application file contains at least one drawing executed in color. Copies of this patent or patent application publication with color drawing(s) will be provided by the Office upon request and payment of the necessary fee.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

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